

JUDICIAL PROFILE

Arthur T. Anderson was appointed to the bench in November 1999 and was assigned to the Civil Department. He was next assigned to the Criminal Department in June, 2001. Judge Anderson received a law degree in 1981 from the University of Detroit School of Law, a Masters in Sociology from Western Michigan University in 1976 and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology from Wilkes College in 1973. Prior to his appointment, he was a partner with the law firm of Snell & Wilmer. During his career in private practice, he handled a wide variety of civil litigation including contract disputes, real estate deals, banking matters, personal injury actions, medical malpractice claims and security fraud. In the late 1980s his practice moved toward product liability cases where he defended a wide variety of manufacturers.

Judge Anderson is active in a number of community organizations. He serves as a member of the Board of Trustees for the Arizona Children's Foundation and a Competition Volunteer for the Special Olympics. He is also involved with the Volunteer Lawyer's Program and the Mesa School District's annual Career OpShop.

